NEWTON HIGHLANDS NEIGHBORHOOD AREA COUNCIL

Brigham House, 20 Hartford Street, Newton Highlands, MA 02461

May 2002

CELEBRATE WITH VILLAGE DAY

Sunday, June 9, Noon - 5 p.m. Lincoln Street

Come watch the runners in the Highlands Footrace, listen to an organ concert at the Congregational Church, and taste the prize-winning baked goodies at the Tea Garden.

Kids can enjoy taking part in the bicycle parade, climbing on a fire engine, bouncing on a Moonwalk, and other activities.

NewTV will offer continuous studio tours and Brigham Community House will host an open house so you can explore the offerings of the community center.

Live band and other performances and many additional events are scheduled so come join the fun. This festival will be full of action!

You can help make it happen! Volunteers for shifts of one to two hours are still needed. Call individual coordinators to volunteer for such jobs as:

- setup and cleanup (John Rice, 617-332-5827)
- selling ride tickets (Patty Kellogg, 617-965-5577)
- covering the Silent Auction tables (Janet Zerlin-Fagan, 617-965-9617)
- helping indoors at the Tea Garden (Liane Hartnett, 617-964-7001
- helping with the footrace event (Hugh Starkey, 617-630-9615
- having your band play in the village square (Katy Dallas, 617-969-2331)
- selling T-shirts or organizing signage (Patty Kellogg, 617-965-5577)

2002 HAUNTED HOUSE VOLUNTEER COORDINATOR NEEDED!

The Halloween Haunted House is a 25-year tradition in Newton Highlands. It is a structure that is set up in the Hyde Community Center for the community. Designed for children ages 8-11 years, it offers a fun and scary trip with a different theme each year. Last year it was "Mutant Highlands"!

The coordinator organizes and recruits volunteers to set up, break down, and clean up, to recruit actors/actresses to scare the kids and people to assist in guiding the kids in the haunted house. Doug Smith is the creative genius and works to come up with the theme and images. Doug can no longer do both. Please contact Doug Smith (617-558-3256) or Janice Bourque (617-332-0676) to get involved.

BRIGHAM COMMUNITY HOUSE UPDATE

YARD SALE! YARD SALE! YARD SALE!

BRIGHAM COMMUNITY HOUSE SATURDAY, JUNE 1, 9 A.M. - 1 P.M.

BRIGHAM COMMUNITY HOUSE, IN COLLABORATION WITH THE BURR SCHOOL PARENTS' ASSOCIATION, PRESENTS A SPRING YARD SALE AND RAFFLE. ITEMS DONATED TO BRIGHAM HOUSE FOR SALE WILL DIRECTLY BENEFIT BRIGHAM HOUSE PROGRAMMING. MAKE DONATIONS AFTER 4 P.M. ON FRIDAY, MAY 31, OR AS EARLY AS POSSIBLE THE DAY OF THE SALE. CONTACT BOB STAULO, (617) 527-2887.

Teen Afterschool Program

Brigham House is a place for teens to gather with friends and enjoy a relaxed atmosphere. Activities include pool, ping-pong, computer and Internet use, large-screen TV and movie viewing, and board and card games. Currently 80-120 middle school and high school boys and girls participate in these activities. The program is well supervised and run by our experienced and trained youth staff.

THIS PROGRAMMING WILL STOP IF WE DO NOT RAISE ENOUGH MONEY FOR THE SUMMER PROGRAM. DID YOU RECEIVE THE DONATION REQUEST IN THE MAIL? PLEASE SEND YOUR CONTRIBUTION ASAP IN ORDER TO KEEP THIS GREAT PROGRAM GOING. KIDS JUST LOVE HAVING A PLACE TO "HANG."

Send contributions to:

Brigham Community House, c/o NCSC, 492 Waltham St., Newton, MA 02465.

Call Board Chair Bob Staulo for more information at 617-527-2887.

The Newton Highlands Neighborhood Area Council holds open meetings on the <u>third</u> Thursday of the month at 8:30 P.M. at Brigham Community House, 20 Hartford St., Newton Highlands.

Area Council Members

Janice Bourque (co-president) 332-1721	617-332-0676	Srdjan Nedeljkovic	617-
Susan Fast (secretary) 965-5287	617-965-4809	David Oliphant	617
Patty Kellogg	617-965-5577	Bob Staulo	617-527-2887
William Koney (treasurer)	617-332-8349	Keith Tornheim (co-president)	617-527-3859
Anthony Marchese (v. president)	617-558-7740		

Ex-officio members of the NHNAC: Aldermen Christine Samuelson (5) and George Mansfield (6).				